<u>Torpoint TC Meeting report – 12th Nov 2021</u>

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Saltash Leisure Centre

I was pleased to attend the peaceful protest in Saltash on 30th October, to show the huge public support for keeping the leisure centre open. Around 300 people attended, including Cornwall Councillors from all political parties. We had many members of the public from Torpoint and Rame in attendance showing how well used the centre is by our residents here. The consultation is now closed and interested parties have been asked to express an interest in running the centre and it will be discussed at the Cabinet meeting on 15th December.

My twice monthly Cornwall Councillor surgeries continue to be well attended, with housing issues, personal debt high on the list of issues that are being discussed – general advice and signposting as appropriate given to residents. Where appropriate I am intervening with the Council and helping the residents. This week I am running a mobile surgery, which will be around Sycamore Close area.

My next Rame Cluster meeting will be held via Teams on Wednesday 1st December at 1800 – topics to be confirmed.

The CNP focus event on 11th Nov on Health and Social Care was incredibly well attended and interesting. We heard from our local Social Prescribers and the support they are giving in our communities. I am currently working with Jess Hirons regarding running wellbeing hubs across the area – offering joined up support for those residents that really need it.

We also have our next CNP Environmental sub group meeting on 3rd December.

I am pleased to have been appointed to the Cornish National Minority working group, I attended the first meeting of this a few weeks ago. We finally have a date for our first Mount Edgcumbe Joint Committee meeting – 19th November.